# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# HOME AFFAIRS
# LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:122
ANSWERED ON:28.11.2000
CORRUPTION IN MCD
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**Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

(a) whether some officials of the MCD have made an open admission recently of the rampant corruption in the Corporation;

(b) if so, the facts in this regard;

(c) the number of employees facing corruption charges in the MCD and the cases registered against them during the last three years;

(d) the measures proposed to be taken to control the unabated corruption in MCD;

(e) whether any mechanism has been evolved to punish the corrupt/guilty officials promptly; and

(f) if so, the details thereof?

## Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (CH. VIDYASAGAR RAO)
(a) to (f): A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 122 DUE FOR ANSWER ON 28.11 REGARDING CORRUPTION IN MCD.

(a)&(b): No, Sir. However, a Member of a Committee appointed by the Delhi High Court who is also a lawyer had, in connection with a Public Interest Litigation which was being heard by the Hon,ble Court, made a statement about the alleged widespread corruption in Municipal Corporation of Delhi.

(c): The Central Bureau of Investigation and the Anti-Corruption Branch of the Government of National Capital Territory of Delhi have, during the period 1.4.1997 to 22.11.2000, registered 59 cases involving 104 officials of the Municipal Corporation of Delhi.

(d)to(f): The Municipal Corporation of Delhi have set up a Special Cell in their Vigilance Department to receive complaints round the clock so that grievances could be promptly redressed and corrupt officials brought to book. Besides, the Corporation have initiated steps to simplify the procedures and bring about more transparency in the functioning so as to reduce corruption in the organization.